



National Weekly Pricing Report Prepared for the American School Food
Service Association and the American Commodity Distribution Association

September 22, 2003

Week Ending 19-Sep-03

Vol. 7 No. 38



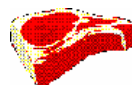
Livestock & Grain Market News
Des Moines, IA
515.284.4460

Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	39495	136.76	-6.49
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	104870	144.49	0.20
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	1965689	154.41	-13.21
120	Brisket	6-14	1419534	114.88	0.24
123A	Short Rib	1-4	32952	303.31	-1.89
160	Round, Brn-in	50-85	53566	145.32	5.50
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	173201	155.45	0.54
168	Inside Round	14-26	568465	151.97	1.44
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	24372	159.62	10.00
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		2229490	118.21	-3.68
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		35210	127.10	-4.08
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%			125.82	1.89
	Top Inside Round	12-16		145.24	-2.94
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		3065610	119.22	-6.76
	50% Chemical Lean		6498709	58.62	-12.08



Pork



Pork Loins, Fresh ¼" Trim	21 dn	13.5	116.22	2.52
Boston Butt, Fresh ¼" Trim	5-10	29.0	83.76	10.55
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25	2.0	122.00	5.44
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20	6.0	67.00	8.67
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23	19.0	63.21	5.13
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16	6.0	89.33	5.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	20-23	2.0	86.00	3.00
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh				
72% Chemical Lean		15.0	57.67	3.21

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
608.224.5080

Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.1500-1.2300	1.1250-1.2050

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.7075-1.9700	1.7175-1.9800

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 19-Sept-03

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, September

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
1.2270	+0.0482	+0.3543



Poultry Market News
Des Moines, IA
515.284.4471

Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 61.13 Chicago 58.26 Los Angeles 71.58

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 176.33 Leg Quarters 28.31
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 169.77 Leg Quarters 28.31

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 62.00 61.26
Central 61.99 59.50
Western 64.57 62.00

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen
Northeast 87.00* Metropolitan Areas
Southeast 82.50* New York 93.00-97.00
Midwest 79.50* Chicago 85.00-90.00
S. Central 87.00* S. California 101.00-104.00

* 12 Metro Area Eggs was discontinued. Prices now from Weekly Combined Regional Eggs.

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 62.00-64.00 Whites 47.00-50.50 Yolks 85.00-88.00
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb
Whole Eggs Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 81.00-85.00 62.00-69.00
Central 74.00-76.00 57.00-60.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 80.00-83.00 62.00-65.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)
Whole 2.75-3.05 Yolks 2.19-2.60 Blends 1.95-2.15



Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC
202.720.2745

Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WA ExFcy, Controlled Atmosphere Storage, 100s Containers TrayPack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA 16.00
Pears, Bartlett, 40 lb carton/boxes U.S. One 100s, Medocino Lake County CA 15.40
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 10.90
Oranges, Valencia, Shippers 1st Grade, 113s ctns, Central & Southern CA & AZ 7.50
Grapefruit, Shippers 1st grade, cartons, Rudy Red, 36s, Central & Southern CA & AZ N/A

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 9.85
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 8.60
Celery, 2 ½ doz ctns, Santa Maria, CA 8.18
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 15.60
Peppers, Bell Type, Green; 1 1/9 buctns/crates, large, Western NC 7.50
Tomatoes, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or better, 25 lb. Cartons, 6x6s, Eastern TN 10.50
Onions, Spanish Hybrid, Jumbo, 50 lb sacks, ID and Malheur County, OR 5.63
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, US One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District & Western ID 8.00

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.